

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA  
MONROE DIVISION**

BENJAMIN CRAIG, Individually and on  
Behalf of All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

CENTURYLINK, INC., GLEN F. POST, III  
and R. STEWART EWING JR.,

Defendants.

No. 3:17-CV-01005-SMH-JPM

DON J. SCOTT, Individually and on Behalf of  
All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

CENTURYLINK, INC., GLEN F. POST, III,  
R. STEWART EWING, JR. and DAVID D.  
COLE,

Defendants.

No. 3:17-cv-01033-SMH-JPM

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**CERTIFICATE OF CONSENT**

AMARENDRA THUMMETI, Individually and  
on Behalf of All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

CENTURYLINK, INC., GLEN F. POST III  
and R. STEWART EWING, JR.,

Defendants.

No. 3:17-cv-01065-RGJ-JPM

On August 21, 2017, the State of Oregon by and through the Oregon State Treasurer and the Oregon Public Employee Retirement Board, on behalf of the Oregon Public Employee Retirement Fund (“Oregon”) filed a motion for consolidation of three related actions pending in this District: (1) *Craig v. CenturyLink, Inc.*, No. 3:17-cv-01005-SMH-JPM; (2) *Scott v. CenturyLink, Inc.*, No. 3:17-cv-01033-SMH-JPM; and (3) *Thummeti v. CenturyLink, Inc.*, No. 3:17-cv-01065-RGJ-JPM (collectively, the “Related Actions”). *See* ECF No. 28. That same day, five other lead plaintiff movants also sought consolidation of the Related Actions. *See* ECF Nos. 21, 24, 25, 26, 29.

Pursuant to Local Rule 7.4.1, the undersigned hereby certifies to this Honorable Court that, on August 23, 2017, counsel for Oregon conferred with counsel for Defendants and requested Defendants’ consent to Oregon’s motion for consolidation. The undersigned further certifies that Defendants’ counsel communicated that Defendants consent to the consolidation of the Related Actions.

Dated: August 24, 2017

Respectfully Submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this day, August 24, 2017, I electronically filed the above Certificate of Consent using the CM/ECF system, which will automatically send email notification of such filing to all attorneys of record.

*/s/ Fred Williams Sartor, Jr.*

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